

1508-1510

League of Cambrai

Holy Roman Emperor MAXIMILIAN;
King Louis XII of France; King
Ferdinand V of Aragon; Pope
Julius II; and several Italian
States formed an alliance
against Venice to halt
its territorial expansion.

1508-1512

The Sistine Chapel ceiling
by Michelangelo
including the

~~ETHIO~~

ERYTHRAEAN SIBYL

1508-1583

1912 Dates J-BK

FERNANDO ALVAREZ, Duke of ALVA

Spanish General & statesman.

Became Prime Minister. Notorious for his bloodthirsty tyranny in the Netherlands where he boasted of having caused the execution of 18,000 men. Termed the "hangman of the Netherlands" by HÄUSSER, the German historian.

Ismail Safarai, the leader of a Shi'a sect brought most of Iran and Iraq under his control. The Shi'a revival threatened the unity of the Ottoman empire, especially in Anatolia, where the might of the whole Turkish Army was needed to put down a Safavid-inspired rebellion. It also provoked Sultan Selim to renew

the Ottoman campaign of conquest.

1508

Italy

Jar Heit

death Isaac ABRABANEL

1508

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League of CAMBRAY between
Germany
Protestant; Pope Julius II;
Ferdinand the Catholic; and
Louis XII, against Venice.

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Spain & Portugal

The League of CAMBRAI

Ferdinand was again
regent.